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THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1769.

New Advertisements.

TREASURER'S-OFFICE, *January 12th*, 1769.

THE under-mentioned Perſons are deſired to call at this Office for Payment of Monies provided for them by the General Aſſembly.

HENRY PERONNEAU, Aſſiſtant-Treaſurer.

	£.	s.	d.
Edward Kirkland,	39	15	0
John Jacob Hurſamſer,	4	10	0
Jonathan Fabian,	2	17	6
Robert Rivers, jun.	5	1	3
Repreſentatives of Major William Pinckney,	858	0	6
Matthew Galaſpie,	11	2	0
Thomas M'Dowell,	20	0	0
John Robertſon,	10	0	0
Samuel Wylly,	27	0	0
Commiſſioners for building a Chapel of Eaſe in Saint George's pariſh,	700	0	0
Thomas Bond,	10	0	0
Thomas Ham,	16	10	0
Thomas Jones,	2	2	6
Daniel Dreze,	6	0	0
William Jones,	5	1	0
Sanders M'Queen,	7	11	9
John Van Marginhoff.	9	1	3

	£.	s.	d.
M'Cartan, Campbell, & Son,	378	13	6
Joſeph Cafey,	36	0	0
John Snow,	26	0	0
Edward Antilonis,	6	0	0
Commiſſioners for purchaſing a Glebe, building a Church, & Parſonage-houſe, in St. Luke's pariſh,	2000	0	0
Lewis Golſon,	10	0	0
Gavin Pou,	10	0	0
Benjamin Cook,	25	7	6
Abſalom Lancaſter,	68	0	0
William Moore,	25	18	9
Samuel Ramſay,	24	10	11
Daniel Tripplet,	30	1	3
Shem Butler,	100	0	0
George Allſon,	25	1	3
William Ruſſell,	8	8	9
John Townſhodale	25	11	3
James M'Cormick,	9	5	0

TO BE SOLD,

THE HOUSE & LOTT in Charles-Town, belonging to *William Blake*, Eſq; and now in the occupation of *William Cottell*, Eſq; containing in front from Eaſt to Weſt on Broad-ſtreet 104 feet, from North to South on Archdale-ſtreet 480 feet, and from Eaſt to Weſt on Queen-ſtreet 152 feet. The purchaſer may have one, two or three years credit, paying intereſt, and giving approved ſecurity, to

DANIEL BLAKE.

THE GENTLEMEN belonging to the *Charles Town* TROOP OF HORSE, commanded by Captain *William Moultrie*, are deſired to meet at Mr. *Dillon's*, on Thurſday the 26th inſtant, at ſix o'clock in the evening, to ſettle matters previous to their muſtering, which will be ſhortly afterwards.

Jan. 19*th*, 1769.

JOHN BENFIELD,

Informs the PUBLIC, that he continues to follow

The Brokerage Buſineſs,

Particularly that for INSURANCE.

HIS office is kept at his houſe in Tradd-ſtreet, oppoſite to Meſſrs. Mayrant, Cruſer, & Roberts's——Where he has for ſale, Rum of all ſorts—Madera Wine—Arrack—Gin, Cherry Bounce, and ſundry other LIQUORS—kegs of Water Bread—Loaf and Muſcovado Sugar—Raiſins of the ſun, at 3/9 per pound, taking 6 lb. or upwards—fine Salt, of a remarkable good quality—Corks—one and two gallon Jugs—Myrtle-Wax and Tallow CANDLES of all ſorts.——With which, Merchants, and others, may be ſupplied in any quantity, and at the moſt reaſonable prices. tf.

TO BE SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

A Valuable TRACT of LAND, containing 700 acres, ſituated on the South ſide of Pedee-river, butting and bounding, at the time of the grant, on lands of Samuel Woodward, Eſq; there being between 2 and 300 acres of good rice ſwamp, the remainder is good for corn or indico. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may treat with me, at Meſſrs. *Peter Leger*, & Co. Merchants, in Charles-Town. t.f. EDWARD LEGGE, jun.

THE Subſcriber gives this laſt notice, to all perſons who bought goods out of his ſtores in Charles-Town and St. Andrew's pariſh, to diſcharge the ſame immediately, he being under an abſolute neceſſity of cloſing all his old concerns; thoſe who truſts with him, may depend on being ſued, without diſtinction.——He keeps his Compting-houſe at Mr. JOHN ALLWOOD's, in Queen-ſtreet; where, thoſe to whom he is indebted, are deſired to ſend in their accompts, to receive payment.

CHRISTOPHER SIMPSON.

N. B. A good DWELLING-HOUSE to be lett, at ſaid Mr. ALLWOOD's. *January* 13*th*, 1769.

TAKEN UP by the Subſcriber, in James-Iſland Marſh, an old CYPRESS CANOW, between 14 and 15 feet long, and 3 feet wide, rows with two oars; has a ſmall forecaſtle fore and aft, and a ring-bolt both at head and ſtern. Whoever owns the ſaid canow, may have her again, by paying the charge of this adverſtiſement, and other expences, and applying to

PETER LIORON, in King-ſtreet.

TO BE SOLD, on Monday the 23d inſtant, at Ten o'Clock preciſely:

THIRTY Hogſheads of MUSCOVADO SUGAR, on Mr. Burn's wharf.—For ſamples enquire of Michael Thompſon, Cooper, or Oats & Ruſſel—The money to be paid down next day on weighing the Sugar, and if not taken away then, to be re-ſold, for accompt of the firſt buyer the day after.

Jan. 18*th*, 1769. JOHN DENISTON.

ANDREW LORD,

HAS IMPORTED, in the laſt veſſels from LONDON *and* BRISTOL;

A compleat ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, *viz.*

A GREAT Variety of low-priced purple and dark ground cottons and callicoes, neat bed patterns of different colours, crow-coloured manteas, quite free from ſpots, with other ſilks, he will ſell lower than the common advertiſed; white, blue and green plains, purple half thicks, broad cloths of all colours and prices; German ſerges, exceeding good claret, Benjamin Kenton's porter in caſks, bottled cyder, Cheſhire and Glouceſter cheeſe, London loaf ſugar, both ſingle and double refined, teas of different ſorts, &c.

N. B. A quantity of black leather NEGRO SHOES, at 17*s.* 6*d* a pair.——Alſo a quantity of CAMBLETS, proper for wrapper gowns, at 6*s.* 3*d.* per yard.

From the LONDON CHRONICLE, Oct. 11.

TO THE PRINTER.

I Conſider you, and all your Devils about you, as a kind of Court of Grievances, and am come to lodge a complaint with you. I do not much hope for redreſs indeed, but it will be ſome eaſe to my heart to put forth its grievances. I am of late from a ſprightly fellow become a peeviſh mal-content, and am as unhappy among the people of England, as if ſome miſadventure had *Robin-cruſoed me*, by throwing me in a *Defart Iſle* (worſe than Murphy's, if poſſible) where I could have nothing but ſeals and wild goats for my companions. Indeed my preſent real ſituation is worſe than the imaginary one. I ſhould, in the ſuppoſed caſe, have had intercourſe with creatures which act according to their nature, and from which my expectations could not be diſappointed: whereas now I not only *ſee men as trees walking*, but *as trees living, mere vegetables*, where I looked for *rationals*. Their news papers, thoſe pretty little modern hiſtories, hold up to us the trueſt portrait of their minds. Every column of theſe journals abounds in advertiſements, which point out the chief objects of their attachment.

Silver ſpoons, lap dogs, horſes, negroes, bank notes, old blankets, diamond rings, pointers, pocket books, canes, muffs, and ſuch trash, meet the eye in every page, in the ſeveral predicaments of Stolen, Strayed, Eloped, Loſt, Run away, Miſſing, &c. &c. The munificence of the rewards offered on ſuch occaſions, too plainly ſhew, that the ſtaff of life is laid on theſe baubles: But what tortures me home is, that while *thoſe ſigns (not ſons) of men*, are ſo anxious about trifles, they are perfectly eaſy under ſuch loſſes, as make it criminal to be patient under them. We have daily before our eyes poor unfortunate noblemen, who have loſt every eſtimable quality, every grain of common honeſty, every ſcruple of public ſpirit, all their underſtanding, every title of religion, the bluſh of modeſty, the nerve of fortitude, whatſoever things are honeſt, whatſoever things are of of good report—are gone—ſtolen, ſtrayed eloped, run-away, or otherwiſe vaniſhed, and yet there is no advertiſing about it; and what makes this matter ſtill worſe is, that they have not only loſt whatever they had of good, but they have ſupplied the place of it with the *dregs* of Hell. If the world laid a proper ſtreſs on what is truly valuable, I ſhould expect frequently to ſee the Daily Advertiſer crowded with ſuch Advertiſements as the following.

Advertiſement I.

Stolen or ſtrayed from the heart of Lord ——, the few ſparks of *Candour* and *Juſtice*, which were at firſt given him for the purpoſes of life. The thief, the better to diſguiſe the theft, ſlipped a quantity of barren formiſtry, equivocation and injuſtice, under his *Pia Mater*, which has had a ſtrange effect upon this unfortunate Nobleman. He *walks well* ever ſince, but cannot get a *wink of ſleep*. Whoever will bring back his *Candour* and *Juſtice* again, ſhall be handſomely rewarded, and *no Queſtions aſked*.

Advertiſement II.

Loſt, between the *Beef Steak Club* and the *Purlieus of Covent-Garden*, the little ſtock of *honeſty* and *good ſenſe*, which nature had given Lord——. Whoever ſtole it, left in its ſtead a large parcel of impudence, ſenſeleſs wit, buffoonery and profaneneſs. A large premium will be given to any perſon, who will bring it to the owner. If any one concerned in the above theft will *preach his complices*, he ſhall have his Majeſty's pardon, and be admitted a evidence.

Advertiſement III.

Stolen, from Sir B—D—, a few grains of *modeſty* and fewer of *honeſty*. A great bundle of *braſs* was left in their ſtead, with this inſcription: "*To plate your front and conſcience*"—N. B. Whoever will bring the above to the owner ſhall receive a *double fee*.

Advertiſement IV.

Eloped from Lord H—— (ſuppoſed to be embarked for Virginia) all the *fair dealing* he was poſſeſſed of. All that is left to ſupply its place is im——ce and m——l lying. Whoever will leave the above at the bar of the Virginia Coffee houſe, directed for *Cleophas*, ſhall be paid for his trouble by S. J. ——t.

Advertiſement V.

Miſſing, at Lord B—'s, all ſenſe of *humanity*, *propriety* and *buſineſs*. Suppoſed to have ſtrayed towards St. George's-fields the 10th of May laſt.—N.B. A ſtrumpet ——, and a diſh of panado, is all that is left him to conſole himſelf with! Whoever will bring the above articles to the W. O. ſhall *have his public thanks in the Paper*. If it ſhould be neceſſary to *kill four or five and twenty* to recover them, it will not be deemed *murder*.

Advertiſement VI.

Eloped from the — of G—, *conjugal love* and *plighted troth*. Luſt and adultery took their place. *A grant of ſome Crown lands* will be *taken away from ſomebody*, to be given to the party who ſhall bring back the articles above.

Advertiſement VII.

Run-away from *Lord D—*, *morality*, *religion*, *and common ſenſe*, all the conſolation left him is a bumper of burgundy in a *communion chalice*, and of milk punch in his *baptiſmal font*. Whoever will bring the *run-aways* back again, ſhall be honoured with a cowl, and *taſte off* a bumper *Matri Sanctorum*.

Advertiſement VIII.

Loſt from *Lady* ——, chaſtity, modeſty, and common decency. Whoever will bring them back, ſhall have the pleaſure of *replacing each* in its *proper ſeat*.

Advertiſement IX.

Stolen-away from Great-Britain, greatly in debt to that nation, Lord Thiſtle; he owes the people—*his head*; whoever will bring the ſame to *Temple Bar*, ſhall receive *Liberty* for his pains.

Advertiſement X.

Confined, a *certain Patriot*, for daring to ſtep forth as the champion of public Liberty, and an intrepid ſupporter of the laws and conſtitution of his country. Whoever will ſet him free and fix him in the midſt of St. St—'s Chapel, ſhall receive the united thanks of all the honeſt independent men in the kingdom.

I will not take up your time with multiplying inſtances, but only add, that I wiſh from my ſoul, the taſte of the *World* took this moral turn; for while it continues ſuch a *Toy ſhop* as I find it is at preſent, the time will paſs but heavily with Your humble ſervant

Sept. 26. APEMANTUS.

New Advertiſements.

Charles-Town, January 12*th*, 1769.

THE Executors of the Eſtate of ADAM DANIEL, give this *public* and *laſt Notice*, that all bonds, notes and accompts, due to ſaid eſtate, will (as they are obliged to raiſe and pay away a conſiderable ſum in a ſhort time) be put in ſuit, without diſtinction, the 15th of next month *(February)* which, thoſe concerned, it's hoped, will take care to prevent.

The bonds for the Negroes ſold at Jacksborough laſt *March*, are in the hands of JOHN PARKER, who will ſettle with and receive the money, from thoſe that may call upon him any time between this and the time above mentioned, after which day, they will be placed in the hands of an Attorney at law.

TAKEN from a White Man, who offered it for ſale, A CORNELIAN SEAL, ſet in gold, in the Roman faſhion: The impreſſion is a Coat of Arms quartered,—on the one ſide is a ſpread Eagle with three Stars over, and a ſmall Half-Moon, the other two quarters have a Lion Rampant and a Roſe in each—Apply to JOSHUA LOCKWOOD.

On Thurſday the 6th of February next, WILL BE SOLD, at public Vendue:

A ſingle HARPSICHORD,

ALMOST new, and little or nothing the worſe for Uſe.——The Stops are, two Unifons and an Octave, with a Pedal. CHARLES WARHAM.

To be ſold by the Subſcriber,

(And may be entered on immediately.)

THE pleaſant inland PLANTATION, on the South Side of Aſhley-River, whereon I lately lived, being only two miles and a quarter from a good landing on ſaid river, and 17 from Charles-Town. It contains 300 acres of good rice, corn and indico land, with a ſmall crop of rice, corn, peaſe and potatoes upon it, (and about 100 buſhels of oats, if the purchaſer ſhould) alſo a large orchard, well ſtocked with moſt kinds of fruit trees: The improvements upon it are, a good two-ſtory brick houſe of 3 rooms on a floor, with a cellar, and piazzas the whole length on each ſide, ſtore rooms, ſtore room, and almoſt every other neceſſary building: There is alſo a good dam of water for making indico. Four or five years credit will be given, if deſired, paying the uſual intereſt. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe, may treat with me on Aſhley-River.

ISAAC LADSON.

JOHN WARD, TAYLOR,

Has juſt imported, in the BEAUFAIN, *Capt.* CURLING, *from* LONDON:

A FRESH ASSORTMENT of the very beſt ſuperfine BROAD CLOTHS, with the beſt of trimmings, ſilk and worſted breeches pieces, ſcarlet and crimſon hair ſhag, alſo green and blue livery ſhag, and all other materials fit for his buſineſs.

His goods are choſen by one of the beſt judges in the DRAPERY WAY, and on the beſt terms; he therefore will ſupply Gentlemen, on any occaſion, cheaper than any one in the province.

To be Sold,

And may be entered upon immediately;

A PLANTATION in Chriſt-Church pariſh, containing 837 acres, formerly belonging to John Daniel; it is exceeding good land and well timbered, has ſeveral thouſand cords of oak and hickory fire-wood on it, is not more than ſix miles from Charles-Town, and very convenient to ſeveral good landings: The market might be attended to great advantage, and a handy boat, with proper management, may, with eaſe, make a trip every day to town with wood: There is very good clay for brick-making on it, and a brick yard already ſettled, with a reſervoir of water for ſwimming the cattle that tread the clay; a great quantity of wood for burning brick and lime very near the brick field; alſo a ſmall dwelling houſe, kitchen, and other out-houſes, a good barn and corn houſe, and every convenient building needful on a plantation.

One, two, or three years credit will be given, with intereſt and approved ſecurity. JOHN ROSE.

For S A L E.

EITHER part, or the whole of a LOT of LAND, ſituate in George-ſtreet, Anſonborough, one hundred feet front, and one hundred and ſixty-two deep. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to JOHN MATTHEWES.

Who hereby acquaints his Friends, he has not yet ſold his Negro Shoe-makers, therefore can ſupply them with Boots, Shoes, &c. as uſual.——Likewiſe for ſale, a quiet orderly Negro Wench, a good waſher. Enquire as above.

From the LONDON CHRONICLE, October 20.

TO THE PRINTER.

WE are aſſured by the advocates of the miniſtry, that while Lord Shelburne is Secretary of State, we can have no reaſon to apprehend a rupture with France or Spain. This propoſition is ſingular enough, and I believe turns upon a refinement very diſtant from the ſimplicity of common ſenſe. But, admitting it to be ſelf-evident, the concluſion is ſuch as I apprehend they did not clearly foreſee. If Lord Shelburne's remaining in office conſtitutes a ſecurity of peace, his being ſuddenly removed muſt amount to a declaration of war. Now, Sir, the fact is that his Lordſhip's removal has been for ſome weeks in agitation, and is within theſe few days abſolutely determined. If I were a party-writer, the indiſcretion of the miniſterial advocates would give me as many advantages as even the wretched conduct of the miniſtry themſelves. But I write for the public, and in that view I old myſelf far above a little triumph over men, whoſe compoſitions are as weak as the cauſe they defend.

In my former letters I have given you a melancholy but a true repreſentation of the ſtate of this country. Every packet from America and the continent confirms it. The demonſtration of facts follows the probability of argument, and the prediction of the preſent hour is the experience of the next. If you will now permit me to offer my opinion of the great perſons, under whoſe adminiſtration we are reduced to this deplorable ſtate, the public will be enabled to judge whether they are the men moſt likely to relieve us from it. The curioſity of perſonal malice ſhall make no part of this enquiry. As public men we have a right to be acquainted with their real characters, becauſe we are intereſted in their public conduct.

When the Duke of G—— firſt entered into office, it was the faſhion of the times to ſuppoſe that young men might have wiſdom without experience. They thought ſo themſelves, and the moſt important affairs of this country were committed to the firſt trial of their abilities. His Grace had honourably ſtarted his maiden ſword in the field of oppoſition, and had gone through all the diſcipline of the minority with credit. He dined at Wildman's, railed at Favourites, looked up to Lord Chatham with aſtoniſhment, and was the declared Advocate of Mr. Wilkes. It afterwards pleaſed his Grace to enter into adminiſtration with his friend Lord Rockingham; and, in a very little time, it pleaſed his Grace to abandon him. He then accepted of the treaſury upon terms which Lord Temple had diſdained. For a ſhort time his ſubmiſſion to Lord Chatham was unlimited. He could not anſwer a private letter without Lord Chatham's permiſſion. I preſume he was then learning his trade, for he ſoon ſet up for himſelf. Until he declared himſelf the miniſter, his character had been but little underſtood. From that moment a ſyſtem of conduct directed by paſſion and caprice not only reminds us that he is a young man, but a young man without ſolidity or judgment. One day he deſponds, and threatens to reſign. The next, he finds his blood heated, and ſwears to his friends he is determined to go on. In his public meaſures we have ſeen no proof either of ability or conſiſtence. The Stamp Act had been repealed (no matter how unwiſely) under the preceding adminiſtration. The Colonies had reaſon to triumph, and muſt ſubmit

ing to their good-humour. The point was decided, when this young man thought proper to revive it. Without either plea or necessity, he adopts the spirit of Mr. Grenville's measures, and renews the question of taxation, in a form more odious and less effectual than that of the law which had been repealed.

With *respect* to the invasion of Corsica, it will be matter of parliamentary enquiry, whether he has carried on a *secret* negociation with the *French* court, in terms contradictory to the resolution of council, and to the instructions drawn up thereupon by his Majesty's Secretary of State. If it shall appear that he has quitted the line of his department to betray the honour and security of his country, and if there be a power sufficient to protect him, in such a case, against public justice, the constitution of Great-Britain is at an end.

His standing foremost in the persecution of *Mr.* Wilkes, if former declarations and connections be considered, is base and contemptible. The man, whom he now brands with treason and blasphemy, but a very few years ago was the Duke of G——n's friend; nor is his friendly altered, except by his misfortunes.—In the last instance of his Grace's judgment and consistency, we see him, after trying and deserting every party, throw himself into the arms of a sett of men, whose political principles he had always pretended to abhor. These men, I doubt not, will teach him the folly of his conduct better than I can. They grasp at every thing, and will soon push him from his seat. His private history would but little deserve our attention, if he had not voluntarily brought it into public notice. I will not call the amusements of a young man criminal, though I think they become his age better than his station. There is a period, at which the most unruly passions are gratified or exhausted, and which leaves the mind clear and undisturbed in its attention to business. His Grace's gallantry would be offended, if we were to suppose him within many years of being thus qualified for public affairs. As for the rest, making every allowance for the frailty of human nature, I can make none for a continued breach of public decorum; nor can I believe that man very zealous for the interests of his country, who sets her opinion at a defiance. This Nobleman, however, has one claim to respect, since it has pleased our gracious S——n to make him Prime Minister of Great-Britain.

The Ch——r of the Ex——r is a moderate man, and pretends to no higher merit than that of an humble assistant in office. If he escapes censure, he is too prudent to aim at applause. The necessity of his affairs had separated him from earlier friendships and connections, and if he were of any consequence, we might lament that an honest man should find it necessary to disgrace himself in a post he is utterly unfit for. But we have other objects to attend to. It depends greatly upon the present management of the finances, whether this country shall stand or fall. A common clerk in office may conduct the ordinary supplies of the year, but to give a sensible relief to public credit, or to provide funds against a rupture abroad, are objects above him. To remove those oppressions, which lie heaviest upon trade, and, by the same operation, to improve the revenue, demands a superior capacity, supported by the most extensive knowledge. To vulgar minds it may appear unattainable, because vulgar minds make no distinction between the highly difficult and the impossible.

The Earl of H——h set out with a determined attachment to the court party, let who would be minister. He had one vice less than other courtiers, for he never pretended to be a patriot. The Oxford election gave him an opportunity of shewing some skill in parliamentary management, while an uniform obsequious submission to his superiors introduced him into lucrative places, and crowned his ambition with a Peerage. He is now what they call a K——'s man, ready, as the closet directs, to be any thing or nothing, but always glad to be employed. A new department, created on purpose for him, attracted a greater expectation than he has yet been able to support. In his first act of power he has betrayed a most miserable want of judgment. A provision for Lord B——t was not an object of importance sufficient to justify a risque of the first impression, which a new minister must give of himself to the public. For my own part, I hold him in some measure excused, because I am persuaded the defence he has delivered privately to his friend is true, "That the measure came from another and a higher quarter." But still he is the tool, and ceasing to be criminal sinks into contempt. In his new department I am sorry to say he has shewn neither abilities nor good sense. His letters to the colonies contain nothing but expressions equally loose and violent. The minds of the Americans are not to be conciliated by a language, which only contradicts without attempting to persuade. His correspondence, upon the whole, is so defective both in design and composition, that it would deserve our pity, if the consequences to be dreaded from it did not excite our indignation. This treatment of the colonies, added to his refusal to present a petition from one of them to the K—, (a direct breach of the declaration of rights) will naturally throw them all into a flame. I protest, Sir, I am astonished at the infatuation which seems to have directed his whole conduct. The other ministers were proceeding in their usual business, without foreseeing or regarding consequences: But this Nobleman seems to have been marked out, by a determined choice, to precipitate our destruction.

The Earl of S——e had initiated himself in business by carrying messages between the Earl of Bute and Mr. Fox, and was for some time a favourite with both. Before he was an Ensign, he thought himself fit to be a General, and to be a leading minister before he ever saw a public office. The life of this young man is a satire on mankind. The treachery, which deserts a friend, might be a virtue, compared to the fawning baseness which attaches itself to a declared enemy. Lord Chatham became his idol, introduced him into the most difficult department of the state, and left him there to shift for himself. It was a master-piece of revenge. Unconnected, unsupported, he remains in office without interest or dignity, as if the income were an equivalent for all loss of reputation. Without spirit or judgment to take an advantageous moment of retiring, he submits to be insulted, as long as he is paid for it. But even this abject conduct will avail him nothing. Like his great Archetype, the vapour on which he rose deserts him, and now,

"Flattering his pennons vain, plumb down he drops."

I cannot observe without reluctance, that the only man of real abilities in the present administration is not an object either of respect or esteem. The character of the Lord Ch——r is a strong proof that an able, consistent, judicious conduct depends upon other qualities than those of the head. Passions and party, in his Lordship's understanding, had united all the extremes. They gave him to the world in one moment the patron of natural liberty, independent of civil constitutions; in the next the asserter of prerogative independent of law. How he will advise the Cr—n in the present crisis, is of more importance to the public than to himself. His patronage of Mr. Wilkes and of America, have succeeded to his wish. They have given him a Peerage, a pension, and the seals, and as for his future opinions, he can adopt none for which he may not find a precedent and justification in his former conduct.

The Earl of Ch—m——— I had much to say; but it were inhuman to persecute, when Providence has marked out the example to be shunned!

My Lord Gr——y is certainly a brave man and a generous man, and both without design or reflection. How far the army is improved under his direction, is another question. His German friends will all five regiments; and it is enough to say of his Lordship, that he has so much good-humour to contradict the reigning minister.

The length of this letter will not permit me to do particular justice to the Duke of B——d's friends: Neither is it necessary. With one undivided view, they have but one character. My Lord G—r and Lord W——h were distressed, and P—y was infallible: The school they were bred in taught them how to abandon their friends without deserting their principles. There is a littleness even in their ambition; for money is their first object. Their professed opinions upon some great points are so different from those of the party with which they are now united, that the council chamber is become a scene of open hostilities. While the fate of Great-Britain is at stake, these worthy counsellors cannot without decency, advise without sincerity, resolve without division, and leave the measure to be executed by the men who voted against it. This, I conceive, is the last disorder of the state. This distraction cannot last to disgrace. Opposite medicines are prescribed, and the last given one is changed by the hand that gives it.

Such is the Council, by which the best of S——ns is advised, and the greatest nation upon earth governed. Separately the figures are only offensive; in a group they are *form*idable. Commerce languishes, manufactures are oppressed, and public credit already feels approaching difficulties: Yet, under the direction of this council, we are to prepare for a dreadful conflict with the colonies, and a war with the whole House of Bourbon. I am not surprised that the gayety of men should endeavour to shut their eyes to this melancholy prospect. Yet I am filled with grief and indignation, when I behold a brave and gallant people lost in a stupidity, which does not feel, because it will not look forward. The voice of one man will hardly be heard, when the voice of truth and reason is neglected; but, so far as mine extends, the authors of our ruin shall be marked out to the public. I will not tamely submit to be sacrificed, nor shall this country perish without warning.

ATTICUS.

PHILADELPHIA, DECEMBER 1.

THESE Colonies deny, that they can be legally taxed by parliament, because they are not, and cannot be *represented* in it, and without their consent, expressed by themselves, or their representatives, freemen cannot be rightfully taxed. I find that the *Farmer* in a note to his fourth letter, quotes, in support of this doctrine, a famous statute, passed in the 34th year of *Edward* the first, called, Statutum de Tallagio non concedendo; in which the King makes this declaration—"No tallage or aid shall be set or levied by us, or our heirs, in our kingdom, without the will and assent of the Archbishops, Bishops, Earls, Barons, Knights, Burgesses, and the other freemen of our kingdom."

In a note to the tenth letter, I observe this quotation 2d Inst. p. 533—"Within this act are all *new offices* with *new* fees, or *old offices* with *new* fees, for *that is a Tallage*, put upon the subject, which cannot be done without *common assent* in parliament. And this doth notably appear, by a petition in parliament, in Anno 13 H. IV. where the commons complain, that an office was erected for measurage of cloths and canvas, with a new fee for the same, by colour of the King's letters patent, and pray that these letters patent may be revoked, for that the King could erect no offices with new fees, to be taken of the people, who may not so be charged, but by parliament."

If the imposing and taking fees, is a taxation on the subject, I think there is an act of parliament, of which no public notice hath yet been taken on this continent, that is as unconstitutional as the stamp-act, or the act laying duties on glass, &c. I mean the 5th of Geo. III. Ch. 45, intituled, "An act for more effectually securing and encouraging the trade of his Majesty's American dominions, &c. *and for regulating the fees of the officers of the Customs in the said dominions.*"

In this act it is provided, "That until such time as the same shall be *otherwise* settled by *authority of parliament*, every officer of the Customs shall receive such fees, as his predecessor received; and in any port, where the officer has received no fees, such officer shall receive such fees, as have been received by the like officer at the next port, &c. and every comptroller shall receive for his fees, a sum equal to one third part of the fees received by the collector, for the like business," &c.

As vessels cannot be cleared, without applications being made to the officers of the Customs, it follows of course, that if this act of parliament is allowed to be binding here, the appliers *must* pay the fees demanded by virtue of it, and consequently *are taxed* to much *by authority of parliament*. If this is a constitutional taxation, the parliament may establish fifty officers in every port, with what fees they shall judge proper, and by this SINGLE AUTHORITY, may distress us to what degree they please.

I suppose the reason why this act has hitherto escaped observation, is, that it has never been published in any paper on this continent: But I hope soon to see it added, by our several assemblies, to the catalogue of American grievances.

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CHARLES-TOWN, JANUARY 19.

AT the anniversary meeting of the CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY-SOCIETY held last week, the following Officers were elected, His Excellency the Right Hon. Lord CHARLES GREVILLE MONTAGU, President; the Hon. WILLIAM BULL, Esq; Vice President; ROBERT PHILP, Esq; Treasurer; Mr. JOHN COLCOCK, Secretary and Correspondent; THOMAS EVANCE, Esq; Steward; Mr. WILLIAM CARWITHEN, Librarian; and Mr. WILLIAM NICOLL, of London, Bookseller.

Last week arrived here, from Virginia, Col. Andrew Lewis and Doct. Thomas Walker, commissioners appointed by the right honourable Lord Botetourt, to transact some business with John Stuart, Esq; superintendant of Indian affairs for the Southern district of N. America, such as, holding congresses with the Cherokees, purchasing territory, and, finally, running the boundary-line between them and that government.—A new House of Burgesses had been elected in Virginia, before these gentlemen came away, but were not to sit 'till May.

On friday last arrived here his Majesty's packet-boat the Duncannon, commanded by Capt. Charles Edwards, in 25 days from Pensacola. This is the last of those on the old arrangement.

The same day put in here, the Sloop Heart of Oak, John Burch master, from Newbern, of and for Wilmington, nine weeks out, and blown off.

We hear, that *George Milne*, Esq; inspector-general of the customs for the southern district of *North America*, under the honourable board established at *Boston*, has displaced an *English* gentleman at *Beaufort, Port-Royal*, and appointed Mr. *William McKenzie* collector there.

It is remarkable, that last Saturday no less than *thirty-two* coasting schooners, with Rice, came in from the southward.

The Brigt. Freedom, of Exeter, —— Hamlon master, from Hull, for this port, ran ashore, in a fog, on the 11th past, two leagues to the Northward of Cape Look-Out, on the coast of North-Carolina, and was entirely lost. The master was arrived at Cape-Fear.

Yesterday morning died, at Dorchester, Mrs. Mary McNeill, the amiable consort of Doct. Archibald McNeill.

Timothy's Maxine List.

Jan.	Arrivals at Charles-Town	*From*
13th.	His Majesty's Pacqt. Boat *Grenville*, Capt. *C. Edwards*,	Pensacola
	Brigt. Tyrrel, Thomas Arwin,	Antigua
	Schooner Pennsylvania Farmer, Jeremiah Poulson,	Georgia
	Sloop Heart of Oak, John Burch,	Newbern
14th.	Sloop Charles-Town, John Leaycraft,	St. Christophers
15th.	Sloop Little Betsey, Viner Leaycraft,	St. Croix
16th.	Ship James, John Trenham,	Grenada
17th.	Brigt. Belvidere, Lawrence Farrell,	Curacoa
18th.	Ship Live-Oak, Andrew Lundberry,	Lisbon
	Ship Orangefield, James Morris,	Burrowstounefs
	Ship Port-Glasgow, John Foster,	Hull
	Snow Nancy, Cornelius Donovan,	Madera
	Hermaphrodite Betsey, John Lefuier,	Barbadoes
19th.	Ship Father's Desire, Isaac Moorson,	Bristol
	Brigt. Jolliff, William Bound,	Poole
Jan.	Sailed,	*For*
13th.	Sloop Charles-Town, Joseph Durfee,	Rhode-Island
	Sloop John, Charles Anderson,	St. Croix
14th.	Schooner Fox, Paul Junkins,	Boston
	Sloop Patience, Thomas Walker,	New-Providence
17th.	Ship Champion, David Chew,	Cowes
	Ship Betsey Ford, Henry Carter,	Barbadoes
	Ship Cæsar, William Wood,	Bristol
	Ship Byron, John Russel,	Cowes
	Ship Wolfe, John Pitt,	Lisbon
	Ship Hope, Roger Hooper,	Cowes
	Snow Anne, John Bowes,	Bristol
	Snow Haughton, Richard Godfhall,	Figuera
	Brigt. Hervie, Henry Ninian,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Betsey, Robert Patterson,	Cowes
	Sloop Beaufain, Nathaniel Catlin,	Barbadoes
18th.	Schooner Liberty, Richard Churchill,	Georgia
19th.	Ship Providence, Richard Linthorne,	Oporto
	Ship John & Betsey, Edward Pike,	Milford
	Brigt. Industry, Thomas Spence,	Georgia
	Schooner Betsey, Francis Williams,	St. Augustine
	Schooner Polly, John Bryson,	New-York
	Remain windbound or cleared,	*For*
	Ship Friendship, James Cowan,	Cowes
	Snow Hope, Benjamin Linthorne,	Gosport
	Snow Betty, Angus McLarty,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Sukey, Jacob Whitewood,	Vigo
	Brigt. Edinburgh, Robert Alexander,	Jamaica
	Brigt. Jenny, Ralph Hogget,	George-Town
	Brigt. Celia, Thomas Jones,	Falmouth
	Schooner Cape-Fear Packet, Robert Scott,	Cape-Fear
	Sloop Duke of Lancaster, David Lamb,	St. Christophers
	Sloop East-Florida, James Wallace,	St. Augustine
	Sloop Susanna, Asa Brown,	Rhode-Island
	Sloop Heart of Oak, John Burch,	Wilmington, N.Carolina
	May sail betwixt this and our next.	*For*
	His Majesty's Packet-Boat *Hillsborough*, Capt. *Grove*,	Falmouth
	His Majesty's Packet-Boat *Le Despenser*, Capt. *Talbott*,	Falmouth
	Ship Nanny, David Perry,	Lisbon
	Ship Heart of Oak, Henry Gunn,	London
	Ship Charles Town, Thomas Morrison,	Cowes
	Ship Baltick-Merchant, William Clarkson,	Cowes
	Ship Lloyd, Nicholas Peeseke,	Bristol
	Ship Queen Charlotte, John Chamberling,	London
	Ship Charlotte, Patrick Campbell,	Cowes
	Ship Magdalen, Robert Beattie,	Dunbar
	Ship Hope, Robert Cowie,	Cowes
	Snow William & Mary, Richard Blythe,	Cowes
	Brigt. Nancy, George Marshall,	Liverpoole
	Brigt. Minerva, Edward Morison,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Savage, John Dickinson,	St. Eustatius
	Brigt. Adventure, William Proll,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Polly, William Taggart,	Antigua
	Schooner Mermaid, William Gill,	St. Eustatius
	Sloop Little Anthony, Edward Brangman,	St. Christophers
	Sloop Fox, Elisha Hinman,	Surenheim
	Sloop Ranger, Horace Wood,	St. Kitts & Martinique
	Sloop Belarius, Benjamin Peniston,	St. Eustatius
	Sloop Henry, John Todd,	Dominica
	Sloop Josiah's Relief, John Wainwright,	Bermuda
	Entered out, and loading.	*For*
	Ship London, Alexander Curling,	London
	Ship Mary, Alexander Pearson,	Lisbon
	Ship Patient-Mary, William Singleton,	Barbados
	Ship Minerva, Thomas Arnott,	Lisbon
	Ship Rose-Island, Richard Brewer,	Cowes
	Ship Medina, Robert Ratsey,	Cowes
	Ship Charming Betsey, Gideon Duncan,	Grenada
	Ship Unity, Fabian Spurrier,	Lisbon
	Ship Mermaid, Samuel Ball,	London
	Snow Concord, James Simpson,	Cowes
	Snow Polly, William Sloper,	Jamaica
	Brigt. Clibborn, William Coldstream,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Nancy, John Jackson,	Antigua
	Brigt. Carolina Society, Clement Conyers,	Oporto
	Brigt. Duke of Athol, Robert Grindly,	Lisbon
	Brigt. Prince of Wales, Thomas Mason,	Philadelphia
	Brigt. Hamilton, William Davis,	Cowes
	Sloop Dove, George Lusher,	St. Christophers
	Other Vessels in Port.	
	His Majesty's Ship *Fowey*, *Mark Robinson*, Esq;	Com.
	Ship British King, George Henry Goldsmith,	
	Ship Edenton, William Longstaff,	
	Ship Three Brothers, John Whitefield,	
	Ship Ajax, James White,	
	Ship Peter & Ann, Alexander Gillon,	
	Ship Berwick, George Moore,	
	Snow Two Brothers, James Saunderson,	
	Snow Nancy, Thomas Young,	
	Snow Chorley, Henry Marshal,	
	Brigt. Olive, Jeremiah Wetmore,	
	Brigt. Harriot, Charles Dawson,	Jamaica
	Brigt. Jenny, Robert Ewing,	
	Brigt. Fanny, Thomas Walker,	
	Brigt. Mary, Peter Swords,	
	Brigt. Philadelphia Packet,	
	Brigt. Elizabeth, James Hunt,	
	Brigt. Katharine, Peter Galatian,	
	Brigt. Greenock, John Dennistoun,	Bristol
	Schooner Hawke, Lewis Barker,	
	Schooner Pompey, George Bird,	
	Schooner Mercury, Ralph Bolton,	
	Schooner William, Richard Cox,	Salem
	Schooner Betsey, Henry Rogers,	Antigua
	Schooner Sunflower, Edward Bacon,	Boston
	Sloop Benjamin, Nathaniel Dickinson,	
	Sloop Elizabeth & Mary, John Mathelin,	
	Sloop Frugality, John Burrows,	
	Sloop London, Nathaniel Butterfield,	
	Sloop Sally, Joseph Blewer,	Philadelphia
	Sloop Nancy, David Burch,	

The Sloop Susanna, Asa Brown master, sail'd for Rhode-Island last monday, and put back yesterday.

The Sloop Patience, Thomas Walker master, mentioned in our last as sailed on the 11th, for Providence, put back the same day, and did not sail again 'till the day mentioned in the present list.

By the foregoing List, it appears, that there are now in this Harbour 105 Sail of Sea Vessels, viz. 1 Man of War, 3 Packet boats, 30 Merchant-ships, 4 Snows, 27 Brigantines, 1 Hermaphrodite, 15 Schooners and 18 Sloops — besides Coasters.

Charles-Town Price Current.

Of South Carolina Produce and Manufactures.

By the Hundred Pounds Weight.		Lime,	2 s
RICE,	60 s	*By the Thousand Weight.*	
Turpentine,	*no demand*	Corn Blades,	12 l. 10
Rozin,	*none*	Hay,	8 to 10 l
Flour,	4 l. to 4 l. 5 s	*By the Box.*	
Hemp, *(besides the bounty)*	7 l	Soap,	2 to 4 s. lb
Cordage,	11 l. 10	Dipt Tallow Candles,	4 s. 6
Flax, *(besides the bounty)*	8 l	Mould ditto,	5 s
Ship Bread,	4 l. 10 s. *to* 5 l	Myrtle Wax ditto,	6 s
Cordage,	10 l. 10 *to* 11 l. 5 s.	*By the Thousand.*	
Tobacco,	5 l. *to* 6 l. 15 s	Shingles,	5 l.
Saffafras,	15 s	Bricks,	7 l.
By the Barrel.		Pipe White oak Pipe,	45 to 48 l
Pitch,	50 s	Hogshead Ditto Hogshead,	28 l
Green Tar,	*no demand*	Barrel Ditto Barrel,	14 l
Common Tar,	*no demand*	Red oak Hogshead,	
Pork,	12 l to 14	Plaistering Laths,	42 s.
Beef,	7 l. to 7 l. 10	*By the Hundred Feet.*	
By the Pound.		Pine 1 Inch Boards,	40 s
Deer-Skins,	14 to 15 s	Inch,	40 s
Ditto in the Hair,	7 s. 6 d	Featheredge,	35 s
Beaver Skins,	20 to 25 s	Inch and ½,	50 s
Indico, Flora,	*none*	Inch and ¾,	70 s
Best purple & copper,	25 s	Inch and ⅞,	80 s
Second Sort,	20 s	Two Inch,	5 l.
Ordinary,	12 s. 6 to 15 s	Scantling & Timber	65 s. *to* 5 l
Pink & Snake Root,	5 s	Shingling Laths,	40 s
Myrtle wax,	5 s	Cypress ½ Inch,	60 s
Bees Wax,	6 s	Inch,	60 s
Butter, in firkins,	3 s. 6 d	Inch and ½,	60 s
Hogs Lard,	*none*	Inch and ¾,	70 s
Tallow,	3 s	Inch and ⅞,	85 s
Single refined Sugar,	4 s 6 *to* 5 s	Two Inch,	6 l.
By the Bushel.		Scantling & Timber,	5 *to* 10 l
Indian Corn,	10 s	*By the Hundred.*	
Black-eyed Peafe,	12 s 6 d	Reeds,	20 to 25 s
Red Ditto,	10 s	*By the Hogshead.*	
Potatoes,	10 s	Rum, *per Gallon.*	12 *to* 12 s. 6
Ruff Rice,	20 s	*By the Cord.*	
Ground Nuts,	15 s	Red Oak Bark,	10 l
Oats,	15 s	Firewood,	5 l

Advertisements.

STOLEN, from Mrs. Wragg's Wharf, in the Night of Friday the 30th of December last:

A CYPRESS CANOW,

ABOUT twenty-one feet long, and three and an half wide, painted yellow outside, and her stern-sheets blue, rows with four oars, branded in four different places in her inside TP, in one. Whoever will take up, and deliver the said canow in Charles-Town, shall have a reward of ONE DOLLAR, from

TORRANS, POAUG, & Comp.

THE Copartnerſhip of EDWARD WILKINSON & Comp. will expire on the 10th of June next.

AT which time they propoſe to SELL OFF, on eaſy terms, what Goods they may then have on hand, at their ſtores in the CHEROKEE NATION, viz.

One at SUGAR TOWN;
One at ESTATOE;
One at TOXAWAY;
One at TUSKEEGE;
One at ESTATOE near TOOGOLA;

And their main ſtore at FORT PRINCE GEORGE, where there is a good ſtore and dwelling-houſe, a kitchen, and other out-buildings, not above twelve or fifteen yards from the fort:

ALSO, a dwelling-houſe about 150 yards from the fort, with two good ſtone chimneys in it, and a large cellar.

Any perſon or perſons inclined to purchaſe, may treat with the ſubſcriber by the above-mentioned time.

The purchaſer may have the ſupplying of three experienced TRADERS, one at *Cowee*, one at *Little Chote*, and one at *Toque*; and alſo may engage the FACTORS, who are now in our employ, to continue at the above-mentioned ſtores.

6w.43 EDWARD WILKINSON.

TO BE SOLD, by private Contract,

The following LANDS, belonging to the eſtate of JACOB BOND, *Eſquire, deceaſed:*

A PLANTATION, in Chriſt-Church pariſh, containing about 280 acres, more or leſs, butting and bounding to the Eaſtward on lands of Charles Pinckney, Eſq; to the Southward on lands of George Paddon Bond, to the North on lands of John Roſe, and to the Weſt on Wackendaw-creek, and on lands of the ſaid John Roſe: It is very good land for rice, corn and indico, very convenient to a landing, and not more than five miles from Charles-Town; the market might be attended to great advantage.

Likewiſe, Twelve hundred acres of LAND, contained in four ſeparate tracts on Black-River, adjoining lands of Mr. Serré, to be ſold together or ſeparate.

One or two years credit will be given, paying intereſt, with approved Security.

GEORGE P. BOND, } Executors.
JOHN ROSE, }

ALEXANDER GILLON

Has juſt imported in the Peter & Ann, from HOLLAND and Scilly.

A Compleat ASSORTMENT of German, Dutch, Ruſſia and Flemiſh ſhirting and ſheeting LINENS, damaſk and diaper napkinning, ſetts of damaſk table cloths and napkins, coarſe and fine towelling, gulix and wardroper hollands and ginghams, Ruſſia and Engliſh duck from No. 1 to 5, narrow and broad oſnabrugs, very handſome marble images, French horns, trumpets and fiddles, Dutch herrings in ſmall kegs.

Which, with a compleat ASSORTMENT of GOODS lately from LONDON and BRISTOL (amongſt which are ſtrip'd and check'd cambricks and lawns, and ſilk bolting cloth) will be ſold at his ſtore in Broad-ſtreet, VERY CHEAP, *they having all been bought from the Manufacturers for Caſh.*

Alſo, empty caſes, ſtone jugs, dripping ſtones, RUM and other SPIRITS, MADEIRA, MALMSEY, VIDONIA and OTHER WINES, by the pipe, quarter-caſk or dozen, VERY CHEAP.

For LONDON directly,

THE SHIP QUEEN CHARLOTTE,

JOHN CHAMBERLING *Maſter*,

(Having very good accommodations for Paſſengers.)

FOR Freight or Paſſage, apply to Mr. ROBERT SMITH, at Mr. Maſſey's in Meeting-ſtreet, or to ſaid Maſter on board, at Mr. Born's wharf.

For LISBON or HOLLAND,

The Ship MINERVA,

THOMAS AARDT Maſter.

(Has Half of her CARGO engaged.)

FOR Freight of the remainder, apply to ſaid Maſter, or WILLIAM ANCRUM. AARON LOOCOCK.

For LONDON directly,

The Ship LONDON,

ALEXANDER CURLING Maſter,

FOR Freight of Rice, Indico, Deer-Skins, or Paſſage (having excellent Accommodations) apply to ſaid Maſter, or ANDREW LORD.

For LONDON,

The Ship HEART OF OAK,

HENRY GUNN Maſter.

(Who will be ready to ſail by the 15th inſt. at fartheſt.)

FOR Freight of Deer-Skins, Indico, &c. or Paſſage (having extraordinary Accommodations) apply to the ſaid Maſter, or JOHN EDWARDS, & Comp.

TO BE SOLD,

On Wedneſday the 8th day of February next, at the plantation of the late HENRY DE ST. JULIEN, *Eſq; deceaſed, in St. John's pariſh, Berkley County:*

THE ſaid PLANTATION, containing upwards of 600 acres of LAND, fit for rice, corn or indico, with great conveniency of water for all the rice land, which is well ſtocked with pine and cypreſs timber.

On the ſaid plantation is a good brick houſe, with cellars and eight rooms, four with fire-places, and ſeveral out-buildings; great part of the cleared land is under good fence, and ready for the enſuing crop.

Alſo, upwards of FIFTY VALUABLE SLAVES, moſt of them this country born, among whom are carpenters, coopers, wheelwrights, a number of very good ſawyers, cattle hunters, houſe wenches, and ſeveral handy boys and girls. AND ALSO

About TWO HUNDRED head of BLACK CATTLE, among them are a number of working oxen, which will be ſold in lots; a large ſtock of HORSES, a parcel of SHEEP and HOGS, Plantation Tools, Carts, a quantity of Corn, &c. belonging to the eſtate of the ſaid Henry De St. Julien, Eſq; deceaſed.

The conditions of the ſale is, one years credit for all ſums above £.20, paying intereſt, with approved ſecurity; and for all ſums of £.20 or under, ready money.

All perſons to whom the eſtate is indebted, are deſired to ſend in accompts of their demands, properly atteſted, immediately; and thoſe indebted thereto, are deſired to make payment forthwith, to

ISAAC MAZYCK,
DANIEL RAVENEL, junior. } Executors.
ISAAC MAZYCK, junior.

WASTE PAPER to be ſold, at the Printing-Office, in Broad-ſtreet.

JAMES McCALL

Has juſt imported, in the *Lloyd*, Capt. *Pearſe*, from BRISTOL,

A very large and complete Aſſortment of Goods;

Amongſt a great Variety of Articles are,

NEWEST faſhion rich white flowered SILKS, black luteſtrings, white taffaties, Engliſh perſians, farcenets and alamodes—velvets, brocade, ſattin, prunella, calimanco and leather ſhoes and pumps—womens clogs, mens morocco ſlippers—felt caſtor and beaver hats, mens gold and ſilver laced ditto—thread, cotton, yarn, worſted and ſilk hoſe, worſted and ſilk breaſt pieces, muſlins, lawns, cambricks and britannias, feather beds, bolſters and pillows, matraſſes, blankets and counterpanes; Hull, Dutch and Wilton carpetting very large Scotch carpets; china, glaſs, ſtone and earthen ware; paints and oils, ſheet and window glaſs, vinegar, pickles and ſpices of all ſorts, medicines, Engliſh & Poland ſtarch, plain and ſcented powder, puff and machines, pinching and curling irons,—plain and ſcented rappee, Strasburg, high and low dried ſnuff; cigars, cut and dry tobacco, long and ſhort pipes—beer, cyder, ale and perry, *DOUBLE GLO'STER CHEESE*, Engliſh walnuts, raiſins, currants, &c. trap breeding and other cages, regimental drums, violins, battledores and ſhuttlecocks, tops and marbles, ſhot, bullets and gun powder, pig and ſheet lead—pewter, braſs, copper and tin ware, hafs and horn feathers, mops, brooms, bruſhes, baſkets and ſieves,—*GREAT VARIETY of GARDEN SEEDS PEASE BEANS, &c.*

In the Peggy, Capt. Maſon, from Philadelphia, ſome fine and common Flour, ſhip, water, milk and butter Bread, HAYNES's beſt double BEER, Cyder, Cheeſe, Apples, Soap, &c.

Theſe, added to thoſe imported in Captains Chamberlaing, Muir, Hewſon and Patterſon, make one of the compleateſt aſſortments in the province.

GREAT ALLOWANCE will be made to SHOP KEEPERS and OTHERS, who buy to ſell again. t.f.

Charles Town, January 9th 1769.

THE Copartnerſhip of RUTLEDGE and LESESNE having been diſſolved upwards of twelve months, and but very little regard paid to their requeſts, in ſettling their accompts: *This is now, for the laſt time,* to acquaint all thoſe that are any ways indebted to them, that if their accompts are not ſettled or paid, by the 20th day of March next, they may depend on being ſued the next Return-Day.—*No further notice will be given.*

PETER LEGER & Comp.

HAVE on hand, a CONSIGNMENT of *Scotch Oſnabrugs*, and low priced *Iriſh Linen*; which they will ſell, by the piece, at NINE for ONE, Caſh.

SOLOMON WOOD, of the Forks of Ediſto, adverſtes a ſmall bay MARE, ſeems to be very old, branded on the off ſhoulder T V, and has ſome white on her near hind heel. The owner muſt prove his property according to law, before.

JOHN FAIRCHILD.

January 2d, 1769.

TAKEN UP by the Subſcriber, at Orangeburgh, TWO BOARS, both ſpanded, and marked in each ear with a ſwallow fork and under nick, and are now appraiſed.—Whoever owns the ſaid Hogs, may have the price at which they were appraiſed.

JACOB RUMPH.

January 3d, 1769.

TO BE SOLD, at public Vendue,

At the uſual place in Charles-Town, on THURSDAY, the 26th day of January next, at 12 o'clock at noon:

A NEW SCOONER, burthen about 140 barrels of rice, with her tackle and furniture: Likewiſe, FIVE NEGROES, brought up to the coaſting buſineſs, and now employed in her.

Said Scooner and Negroes may be viewed at any time before the day of ſale, by applying to Meſſrs. *Samuel Prioleau*, jun. & Company, in whoſe hands an inventory will be lodged.

And, on Monday and Tueſday, the 30th and 31ſt days of January inſtant, at the Town of Beaufort, *and at the plantation called* Laurel-Bay, *on* Port-Royal *Iſland:*

A NEGRO WENCH, who is a good ſeamſtreſs, cook and waſherwoman, a clock, a billiard table, a chariot, two riding chairs, and a chaiſe, a flat, two canoes, a few ſwivel guns, a parcel of lumber, bricks, Bermuda ſtones, cedar poſts, rigging blocks, and belaying pins, harness, chain traces, bridles, nails, white lead, linſeed oil, old corn, and plantation tools, a camp bed, curtains, tent, &c. a collection of books, a very large quantity of houſhold and kitchen furniture, liquors, and a ſtock of horſes, cattle, &c.

And on Thurſday following, viz. the 2d day of February, at the plantation called True-Blue, *in* Prince-William's *pariſh:*

SOME more houſhold and kitchen furniture, a large ſtock of cattle, a parcel of horſes, hogs, &c. being part of the perſonal eſtate of *Thomas Middleton*, Eſq; deceaſed.

If the days appointed for the Country Sales ſhould prove rainy, then the ſales will be on the firſt fair days thereafter.

The conditions of the ſales is CASH.

BENJAMIN GUERARD, *Adminiſtrator.*

December 31ſt, 1768.

☞ At the ſale at LAUREL-BAY, to be on the 31ſt inſtant, will likewiſe be put up, at public auction, a parcel of Cattle, ſome old Corn, Plantation Utenſils, &c. belonging to the eſtate of *William Middleton*, Eſq; deceaſed.

The conditions of this ſale, the ſame as above.

BENJAMIN GUERARD, *Adminiſtrator.*

December 31ſt, 1768.

In the COUNCIL-CHAMBER, the 9th day of *December* 1768.

PRESENT,

His Excellency the GOVERNOR, in COUNCIL.

HIS Majeſty's Surveyor-General, having reported to his Excellency, That ſeveral of the parties, who had obtained orders to have plats of land that were out of date in his office, certified to them, had nevertheleſs neglected to carry them any further, whereby other people were prevented from applying for them, and neither taxes nor quit-rents accrued from the ſaid lands: His Excellency, taking the ſame into conſideration, was pleaſed, by the advice of the Board, to direct, That, if any perſon ſhall hereafter obtain an order, to have an elapſed plat certified to him, and ſhall not carry the ſame into a grant within *three months* thereafter, it ſhall be again deemed out of date: And that this order be publiſhed in the Gazettes.

JAMES SIMPSON, C. C.

The PARTNERSHIP of GODFREY & GADSDEN Expiring with the preſent Year,

THEY return their thanks to their FRIENDS and CUSTOMERS for their favours received, and being under a neceſſity of cloſing their concerns as ſoon as poſſible, they will be additionally obliged to thoſe indebted to them, to diſcharge the ſame this crop, that they may be enabled to ſettle the demands that may be againſt the copartnerſhip: And, as there is a very large amount of debts in open accompts, that have been long ſtanding, they muſt inſiſt on the ſame being paid, or otherwiſe ſettled to their ſatisfaction, as a neglect of ſo reaſonable a demand, will be attended with diſagreeable conſequences.

Rice, Deer-Skins and Indico, ſuch as we ſhall approve of, will be taken in payment, at the market price, if offered to us on its arrival in Charles Town. [t.f.]

TO BE SOLD,

(And entered upon the firſt day of April next)

THE Lot, Stores and Wharf, in George-Town, now occupied by Meſſrs. Godfrey & Gadſden, being in the beſt ſituation for trade. Alſo three other Lots, adjoining. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may apply to CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN.

THOMAS GADSDEN,

Begs leave to acquaint his FRIENDS, that lately favoured him with their cuſtom and aſſiſtance, when in partnerſhip with Mr. GODFREY,

THAT he intends to carry on BUSINESS in his own name alone, after the cloſe of this year, and will therefore be obliged to them for a CONTINUANCE of their FAVOURS, as he will endavour to keep up a GOOD ASSORTMENT of ſuch GOODS as are uſually imported into this province, which he is determined to ſell at the moſt reaſonable rates:——Among thoſe on hand, he has printed Linens and Cottons, at 10*ſh.* and 13*ſh.* per yard, alſo a great variety of LINEN DRAPERY GOODS, at *Nine* for *One*, CASH, by the piece or quantity.

Rice, Deer-Skins, and Indico (ſuch as he may approve of) will always be taken, at the market price, in payment of accompts.

☞ WHO is in want of a good, clean, and orderly COOK, on hire, or to purchaſe.

CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN,

IS framing a very long WHARF or KEY at the North End of the Town, between 8 and 900 Feet in Length (from North to South) on the River, at the End whereof any Ship that comes over the Bar may lie, from one End to the other, fully loaded, and hawl off at any Time of Tide; and will be much obliged to Gentlemen *any Way concerned in Veſſels*, for their BALLAST, delivered at ſaid Wharf, where there is every neceſſary Convenience for diſcharging with the greateſt Diſpatch.

N. B. *Ten or a Dozen large Veſſels can be diſcharged together, very readily and conveniently.*

AS the PARTNERSHIP of BRAILSFORD and CHAPMAN expires with the preſent year, there will be a neceſſity for cloſing all their concerns without delay, and they deſire ALL PERSONS indebted to them to make immediate payment.—— This requeſt hath frequently been heretofore made by public advertiſements, as well as by private application, with but very little effect; therefore, thoſe who ſhall now neglect this notice, may expect no longer indulgence.

All perſons having any demands upon them, are deſired to bring in their accompts, to be paid.

BRAILSFORD & CHAPMAN.

Dec. 12th, 1768.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS by an Act of Aſſembly lately paſſed, Commiſſioners are appointed to cauſe a CHANNEL or CANAL to be cut from the weſt end of Broad-ſtreet, in a direct line to low-water mark on Aſhley-river; twenty-five feet wide, and of a ſufficient breadth, at the end next to Broad-ſtreet, to receive two Schooners, and of depth ſufficient for the paſſing of veſſels not drawing more than ſix feet water; and to cauſe good and ſubſtantial banks or cauſeways to be raiſed on both ſides thereof. THEREFORE,

ANY perſon or perſons willing to undertake the ſaid work, agreeable to the terms of the ſaid Act; and alſo to procure the ſaid canal to be piled in on both ſides with paliſatto poſts, are deſired to give in their Propoſals for the ſame forthwith to the ſubſcriber, as the Commiſſioners are deſirous the Work ſhould be begun as ſoon as may be.

WILLIAM SAVAGE, *one of the Commiſſioners.*

JOHN CHAMPNEYS

DESIRES all perſons indebted to the late Co-partnerſhip of *LIVINGSTON & CHAMPNEYS*, immediately to diſcharge their bonds, notes and accompts, there being an abſolute neceſſity for having their affairs ſettled, in order that he may ſettle with the Executors of Mr. *George Livingſton*.——He alſo hopes for a continuance of the favours of the friends of ſaid copartnerſhip, as he will endeavour to give ſatisfaction to all who may pleaſe to employ him.

N. B. He has SEVEN BOATS conſtantly in his employ, of the following burthens, all decked viz. one of 140 barrels, two of 120, three of 100 and one of 60, and can have more occaſionally.

Andrew Rutledge,

ACQUAINTS HIS FRIENDS,

That he has juſt imported, in the LONDON, Captain CURLING, *from* LONDON;

A NEAT AND GENERAL Aſſortment of GOODS;

WHICH, he aſſures his cuſtomers, he ſhall diſpoſe of on the LOWEST TERMS:—And, as he took great care in the choice of them, hopes to give ſatisfaction to thoſe who will favour him with their cuſtom.

Exceeding good OSNABRUGS, at 3/8 a yard, for caſh.

JOHN WATSON,

GARDENER and SEEDSMAN,

TAKES this method to acquaint the Public, that it is now a proper ſeaſon to remove Trees, and that he has got to diſpoſe of, a great variety of grafted and inoculated FRUIT TREES of the beſt kinds, viz. Apples, Pears, Plumbs, Cherries, Nectarines, Apricots, Engliſh Walnuts, Mulberries, &c. &c. Alſo Garden Seeds, Tools and Flower Roots, juſt imported.—The curious may be ſupplied with collections of Seeds and Plants, of the beſt and moſt valuable kinds of Flowering Trees, Shrubs, &c. the produce of this and adjacent provinces.——Whoever pleaſes to favour him with their orders, may depend on having freſh ſeeds, and good plants, the latter being raiſed from ſeeds in his Nurſery, and will be put up in a proper manner for exportation.

CHRISTMAS 1768.

The BRITISH ACADEMY *on the Green, near the Weſt End of Broad Street,*

WILL be opened on Monday the 9th of January inſtant, for the reception of young Gentlemen and Ladies, after the holidays, where they may be carefully and properly taught *Engliſh, Latin, French* and *Spaniſh*, Writing and Arithmetic, vulgar and decimal, with every uſeful practical branch of the Mathematicks, particularly Menſuration, Surveying and Architecture, in a plain familiar manner, eaſy to be underſtood by a moderate capacity, and on a plan recommended by the celebrated Mr. John Locke, Author of the Treatiſe on human underſtanding.

By the Public's obedient humble Servant,

O. STRATON.

N. B. An EVENING SCHOOL at the ſame.

RUTH JOHNSON,

Widow of the late Mr. WILLIAM JOHNSON,
SCHOOL-MASTER.

HAVING taken a convenient House in Church-street (almost opposite to Capt. Owen Roberts) which is both airy and cool in Summer, and warm in Winter; proposes to open SCHOOL there on Monday next the 16th instant, to teach READING, and all kinds of NEEDLE-WORK, and to provide herself with one of the best Masters to teach WRITING and ARITMETIC; and takes this method to solicit the countenance and support of her late Husband's Friends and others, of which she hopes she shall not prove unworthy.

TO BE SOLD, on Thursday the 9th day of February next, at the Vendue-House, in Charles-Town:

A PLANTATION, belonging to the estate of Col. Henry Hyrne, on Ashepoo river, being the plantation which formerly belonged to the late Mr. Burril Hyrne, and adjoins to lands of Mr. Henry Hyrne and the late Colonel Pinckney. The quantity about 1000 acres. If any person is inclined to treat for the same, before the day of sale, apply to the executors.

JAMES POSTELL,
HENRY HYRNE, or
THOMAS SMITH.

ELEANOR BOLTON,

PASTRY-COOK, from LONDON,
And late House keeper to His Excellency Lord Charles-Greville Montagu,

BEGS leave to inform the Gentlemen and Ladies, that she has removed from Elliott-street to the house lately occupied by Bennet Oldham, Esq; and opposite to Mrs. Chandler's, where she continues to make (when bespoke) the following articles, viz.—Rich plumb cake, iced, at 10s. a pound;—biskat and seed ditto, at 7s. 6d a pound;—syllabubs and jellies, at 20s. per dozen; white custards in glasses, at 15s. per dozen;—lemon, orange, cream and blomange, at 20s. per plate;—rice cups in custard, at 12s. 6d. per plate;—apple tarts, curd and apple cheese cakes, at 22s. 6d. per dozen; almond and lemon cheese cakes, at 30s. per dozen;—minced pies, at 30s. per dozen;—preserved apples, at 15s. per plate;—lemon, orange, citron, almond, rice, custard and potatoe puddings, orange and apple marmalade, cranberry jelly, preserved oranges, mushrooms, &c. &c.

Such as please to favour her with their commands, may depend on having them executed on the shortest notice.

Blond Lace washed, and clear Starching done, in the neatest manner.——She has room for one Lodger, and two Day Boarders, who will be taken on easy terms.

TO BE SOLD, at public Vendue,

To the highest bidder, at Mr. Flynn's, in George-Town, on TUESDAY the 3d day of April next:

A TRACT OF LAND on Waccamaw Neck (otherwise called All-Saints parish) containing 990 acres, butting and bounding to the Eastward on the Sea Marsh, and to the Westward on Waccamaw-river, only two miles above the land that John McKenzie, Esq; lately purchased upon the same neck. The said land is exceedingly productive of corn, rice, indico, lumber, naval stores, &c. and very contiguous to oysters for making lime, and to a landing on the river. There are two commodious dwelling houses on the said land, together with out-houses; there is 160 acres of good indico land, under good fence. Also,

One other tract, containing 60 acres, an island, beautifully situated in the middle of Waccamaw river, opposite to the above-mentioned tract. The whole of said island is good river swamp. Twelve months credit will be given, paying interest, and giving approved security, if required.

NATHANIEL DWIGHT.
JOHN DWIGHT.
SAMUEL DWIGHT.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Dect. ROBERT BROWN, late of Goose-Creek, deceased, particularly those that bought at the Vendue at Goose-Creek, the 8th of January 1767, are desired to discharge their respective debts to the subscriber, by the 15th day of February next at farthest; and it is hoped all concerned, will avail themselves of this last and final notice, as all bonds, notes and accounts then unpaid, will be put into the hands of an attorney, to be sued for.

SAMUEL THOMAS, Executor.
January 3, 1769.

STOLEN or STRAYED from my plantation at Goose-Creek, the 18th ult. a bright bay MARE, three parts English blood, branded 18, rising four years old.—Also a roan HORSE COLT, with a brown head, and a star in his forehead, black legs, neither docked nor branded, rising two years, three parts blood. Five Pounds reward will be given for each of the above strays, on delivery of them, or either of them, to

BENJAMIN COACHMAN.

RUN AWAY,

ABOUT three months ago, a likely NEGRO FELLOW, named SAM, a little pock-pitted, and speaks very good English, his feet remarkably short and thick, and his great toes stand wide from the others, and turn towards each other very much; is well known in Charles-Town, and in many different parts of the province: He used to be some times employed about fetching timber and wood, and has a general acquaintance with boat negroes and fishermen; has been once in England, and it is not improbable that he may attempt to get off in some vessel, it is therefore hoped, that all masters of vessels and of coasting sloopers will be cautious that there is no strange Negro harboured or employed without a ticket: He has a wife at Captain Lamprier's, and has been from at different times in Christ-Church parish, where it is supposed he is harboured; he has likewise been from in Charles-Town. Whoever will take said negro, and deliver him to the warden of the work-house, or to me in Charles-Town, shall have SIX DOLLARS reward, from

JOHN ROSE.

SALES by the Provost-Marshal.

On Thursday the 26th day of January next, WILL BE SOLD, at public Vendue, at the usual place in Charles-Town:

A PLANTATION or TRACT of LAND, containing 100 acres, situated on James-Island, in St. Andrew's parish, butting and bounding to the Eastward and Southward on New Town-Cut, Westward on Thomas Screven's land, and Northward on Thomas and John Screven's land; late belonging to the estate of JOHN STORY, deceased, and sold under execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, *Provost-Marshal.*

☞ The LANDS belonging to the estate of JOHN GOVAN, Esq; deceased, formerly advertised in this Gazette, and put off, on account of the bad weather, will peremptorily be sold, on the above day.

On Thursday the 2d day of February next, WILL BE SOLD, at public Vendue, at the house of Mr. William Flynn, in George-Town:

A TRACT of LAND, on the West side of Pedee-river, containing 700 acres, more or less; whereon are two dwelling-houses, two barns, one of them of brick, with all convenient and necessary out-houses, a garden and orchard; seventy acres whereof is river swamp, banked in, and fifty acres of good inland swamp, with great command of water.

One other TRACT of LAND, on an island between Pedee and Waccamaw-rivers, directly opposite to the above tract, containing 550 acres, more or less; the whole of which is as good rice swamp as any in the province, and well adapted to the growth of rice, corn and indico, one hundred and ninety acres thereof inclosed by very good banks, and may, with very little labour, be put in the best order for planting this year.

One other TRACT of LAND, on a creek making out of Black-river, containing 1000 acres, more or less; a considerable part thereof good rice land, with a conveniency for making a large reservoir of water to supply it, and is well stored with sawing timber of both pine and cypress, has a stream of water running through it sufficient for building a Saw-Mill thereon, and distant no more than ten miles from George-Town. Late belonging to the estate of ELIAS FOISSIN, Esq; and sold under execution, by

ROGER PINCKNEY, *Pro. Mar.*

*** Any person having a good COOK WENCH to hire out, that can be recommended for her honesty and sobriety, may apply to ROGER PINCKNEY.

PROPOSALS

For PRINTING by SUBSCRIPTION,

In Two Volumes, Octavo,

SERMONS

On useful and important Subjects,

By the Rev. SAMUEL DAVIES, A. M.

Late President of the COLLEGE at *Princeton, New Jersey.*

CONDITIONS.

I. The Volumes each to contain Four Hundred Pages; to be printed on a good Paper, and a neat Type, in *London.*

II. The Price to Subscribers to be *Four Shillings* Sterling each Volume: Half of the Price to be paid at the Time of subscribing, and Half at the delivery of the Volumes, sewed in blue Covers.——Such as subscribe for Six Sets, to have a Seventh *Gratis.*—Public Notice will be given when they arrive, where they will be delivered.

III. The Name of every Subscriber will be printed, unless any signify a Desire to the contrary.

Three Volumes of Sermons, by the same Author, were published in *London*, since his Death, and met with such deserved Approbation as renders any Recommendation here needless, to such as have perused the former Volumes.——Those proposed above, appear to have been composed by the same masterly Hand.—One Thing further, must in Justice be mentioned, that the Profit arising from this Publication, will be entirely applied for the use of the Author's Orphan Children, who are Five in Number, and since their Father's death, have lately lost their Mother also; a Circumstance, which, it is hoped, will have its proper influence upon all the humane and compassionate.

SUBSCRIPTIONS will be received at Mr. EDWARDS's Store, in Tradd-Street, and at Messrs. WARE & DOUGHTY's, on the Bay.

Peter Leger & Rich. North,

UNDER THE FIRM OF

PETER LEGER, & Co.

At their Store on the Bay, lately possessed by Messrs. INGLIS and LLOYD,

HAVE just imported, in the Ship London, Alexander Carling, Master, from LONDON, and in the Snow Polly, William Sleper Master, from BRISTOL,

AN ASSORTMENT of the ARTICLES usually imported here from the above places; and as they are fresh, and as well bought as any other goods lately imported, they are enabled to sell on as good terms as any other store, and hope for the favour of their friends, and those late WARD & LEGER's.

TO BE SOLD,

THE SCOONER

PITT,

BElonging to the estate of *Henry Richardson*, deceased; Likewise the Boat Negroes, with or without the Scooner.——Any person inclinable to purchase either, may apply to Mrs. ELIZABETH RICHARDSON, on the Bay.

All persons having any demands against the said estate, are desired to bring in their accompts, properly attested, to

ELIZABETH RICHARDSON, *Executrix.*

Daniel Bourdeaux,

Has lately imported, FOR SALE, at his Store in Tradd-Street:

CHOICE WEST-INDIA RUM, by the hogshead or quarter-casks; Northward distilled ditto, by the like quantity; Haynes's double BEER, in whole and half barrels; superfine FLOUR; Ship and Butter BISKET; BAR IRON, and some excellent CASTILE SOAP, which he will sell on very reasonable terms.

For LONDON,

To sail by the 20th inst.

The Ship MERMAID,

SAMUEL BALL, Master.

FOR Freight, or Passage, having Accommodations superior to most Vessels in the Trade, apply to said Master on board, at the Market Wharf, or

CARNE & WILSON.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Sloop Sally, Joseph Blewer Master, from PHILADELPHIA, and to be sold on board, at Dandridge's Wharf:

PHILADELPHIA RUM;—ditto BEER;—superfine FLOUR, in barrels;—a few kegs of BREAD, and a few barrels of APPLES, remarkably sound and fine.

For any Port in *Great-Britain, Cowes*, and the *Markets*, or the *West-Indies*;

The Ship BERWICK,

GEORGE MOORE, Master,

A VERY good and fast sailing Vessel. Burthen about 300 barrels of Rice; for Freight, apply to said Master, or to

MANSELL, CORBETT, & ROBERTS.

J. Sarrazin

JEWELLER,

HAS JUST IMPORTED,

In the Heart of Oak, Captain Gunn, from LONDON:

A large ASSORTMENT of JEWELLERY & PLATE,

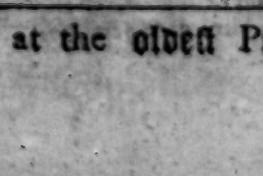
Consisting of the following Articles, viz.

TANKARDS, coffee pots, waiters, punch bowls, ladles and strainers, sugar dishes, tea and cream pots, castors in silver and wood frames, table, tea spoons and ladles, swords and cutteaus, silk and morocco sword belts of all kinds, green handle knives and forks in shagreen cases, spare shagreen cases, double flint glass candlesticks, womens and mens stone shoe, knee and stock buckles, from £. 5 to £. 70 a pair, of a variety of patterns, and the newest fashion, diamond, ruby, emerald, topaz, opal, marcasite, garnet, paste and pearl necklaces, ear and finger rings, with aigrets sprigs and pins, plain Tortoise shell and jewelled combs, ivory and pearl fish and counters, and every article in the JEWELLERY and SILVERSMITHS WAY, may be had at his Shop, at as low an advance as any ever yet sold in the province, and for cash, as cheap as may be bought in the Retail Shops in London.

All kinds of JEWELLERY & SILVERSMITHS WORK done at said shop, as usual, in the neatest manner, and with the quickest dispatch.

Where most Money is given for Old Plate and Jewels.

N. B. Silversmiths forging and planishing hammers, and most kind of Silversmiths Tools, sold as above.



For PHILADELPHIA,

(To sail by the first of February next.)

The Sloop SALLY,

Joseph Blewer Master.

A Remarkable handy Vessel, sails fast, has excellent Accommodations for passengers, and designed to continue in the trade.——She has one Half of her Cargo engaged: For Freight of the remainder, or for Passage, apply to the said Master, on board, or DANIEL BOURDEAUX.

RICHARD HART,

COACH & CHAIR-MAKER.

In QUEEN-STREET, next door to Mr. CANNON's.

Gives this public Notice,

THAT he will be under the disagreeable necessity of putting all bonds, notes and accompts due to him, and unpaid, on the 1st day of February next, into the hands of Thomas Grimball, Esq; attorney at law; his affairs having already suffered greatly by too long indulgence, and as it will not then be in his power to extend it, without still greater injury to himself: He therefore hopes all concerned, will pay a due regard to this advertisment.

He carries on his business as usual, and has lately imported every necessary article for it.

To be Sold, Cheap.

ALL sorts of ready-made ox-cart, horse-cart, and chair WHEELS. Enquire of JOHN LAMPUT, opposite Mrs. Logan, and William Moultrie, Esq; on Trott's-Point.

Charles-Town, January 1st, 1769.

AGREEABLE to the directions of an act of the general assembly of this province, intituled, "an act to regulate the "PRICE and ASSIZE of BREAD:"

I HAVE enquired the price of FLOUR, and find that imported from the *Northern* colonies to be at *six pounds, per hundred* lb. weight, and *Carolina* Flour at *four pounds*, (being both used by the bakers); at which price the HALF CROWN loaves must weigh, as follows:

Of NORTHWARD Flour.	lb.	oz.	awt	Of CAROLINA Flour.	lb.	oz.	dwt
White,	1	12	0	White,	2	8	0
Wheaten,	2	10	0	Wheaten,	3	12	0
Houshold,	3	8	0	Houshold,	5	0	0

Of which all Bakers of Bread are required to take due notice.

BENJAMIN SIMONS, Com. Gen.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

JOHN GEORGE RIPPLEY, of the Province aforesaid, who is in Custody of the Provost-Marshal, by Virtue of Two Writs of Capias ad Respondendum, One at the Suit of Isaac Lesesne, and the other at the Suit of Thomas Shirley, having petitioned the Honourable the Justices of his Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors: IT IS ORDERED, That the said Isaac Lesesne and Thomas Shirley, and all others to whom the said Petitioner is any wise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have Notice, to appear at the usual place of Judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas or General Sessions, which shall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.
Pleas-Office, January 3d, 1769.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

ARCHIBALD CRAWFORD, of the Province aforesaid, who is in Custody of the Provost-Marshal, upon Mesne Process, at the Suit of James McClenachan, having petitioned the Honourable the Justices of his Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors: IT IS ORDERED, That the said James McClenachan, and all others to whom the said Petitioner is any wise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have Notice, to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas or General Sessions, which shall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.
Pleas-Office, January 3d, 1769.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

JOHN McCROHON, (alias Mc CRAY) who is in Custody of the Provost-Marshal, upon Mesne Process, at the Suit of Mary Knox, having petitioned the Honourable the Justices of his Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, that he may be admitted to the Benefit of the Act made for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors: IT IS ORDERED, That the said Mary Knox, and all others to whom the said Petitioner is any wise indebted, be, and they are hereby summoned, and have Notice, to appear at the usual Place of Judicature, at the first sitting of the Court of Common Pleas or General Sessions, which shall happen three Months after the Publication hereof, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said Petitioner should not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

D. CAMPBELL, C. C. P.
Pleas-Office, Dec. 8th, 1768.

RUN AWAY between three and four months ago, a negro fellow named JACK, alias YANKE, speaks pretty good English, and is very talkative; he is about five feet high, has a large scar of a wound on his stomach, near one of his sides, has lost some of his fore-teeth, which affects his speech, appears to be about thirty years of age, he is very black, and had on when he went away, a blue negro cloth jacket and breeches: He formerly belonged to Samuel Lavington, Esq; deceased, and is well known about Ashepoo and Chehaw, where he formerly lived in his late master's life-time; he is also well known in Charles-Town, having been formerly hired to Mr. Daniel Cannon, and worked for a considerable time as a labourer under William Raper, Bricklayer. Whoever will deliver him to Dr. ARCHIBALD M'NEILL in Dorchester, or to the warden of the work-house in Charles-Town, shall receive FIVE POUNDS reward, and all reasonable charges, by applying to either of the subscribers. Any person giving information of his being harboured by a white person, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS reward, on conviction of the offender, or if harboured by a negro TEN POUNDS reward will be given to the informer, on conviction.

ARCHIBALD M'NEILL,
ALEXANDER POTHRINGHAM.
Charles-Town, January 2, 1769.

WANTED,

AS apprentices to a merchant, one or two youths of sober, honest, and industrious characters, and of good reputable families. Enquire of the printer.

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